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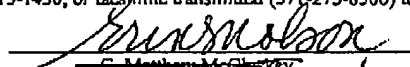
In re Application of: V. Tsurikov  
Serial Number: 09/991,079  
Filing Date: 16 November 2001  
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Examiner: Spooner, Lamont  
Art Unit: 2654  
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

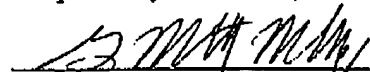
Dear Sir:

A two-month extension of time to and including 30 June 2006, is requested for a response to the non-final Office Action dated 30 January 2006. If a two-month extension of time is insufficient, Applicant requests such an additional extension as is necessary to maintain the pendency of the application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension fee of \$225.00, as well as any additional fees which may be due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1133.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 30 June 2006

  
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